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IN CONGRESS, JULY 4, 1776.

The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen united States of America,

When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation. — We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness — That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, — That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shewn, that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security. — Such has been the patient sufferance of these Colonies; and such is now the necessity which constrains them to alter their former Systems of Government. The history of the present King of Great Britain is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over these States. To prove this, let facts be submitted to a candid world. — He has refused his Assent to Laws, the most wholesome and necessary for the public good. — He has forbidden his Governors to pass Laws of immediate and pressing importance, unless suspended in their operation till his Assent should be obtained; and when so suspended, he has utterly neglected to attend to them. — He has refused to pass other Laws for the accommodation of large districts of people, unless those people would relinquish the right of Representation in the Legislature, a right inestimable to them and formidable to tyrants only. — He has called together legislative Bodies at places unusual, uncomfortable, and distant from the depository of their public Records, for the sole purpose of fatiguing them into compliance with his measures. — He has dissolved Representative Houses repeatedly, for opposing with manly firmness his invasions on the rights of the people. — He has refused for a long time, after such dissolutions, to cause others to be elected; whereby the Legislative powers, incapable of Annihilation, have returned to the People at large for their exercise; the State meanwhile exposed to all the dangers of invasion from without, and convulsions within. — He has endeavoured to prevent the population of these States; for that purpose obstructing the Laws for Naturalization of Foreigners, refusing to pass others to encourage their migrations hither, and raising the conditions of new Appropriations of Lands. — He has obstructed the Administration of Justice, by refusing his Assent to Laws for establishing Judiciary powers. — He has made Judges dependent on his Will alone, for the tenure of their offices, and the amount and payment of their salaries. — He has erected a multitude of New Offices, and sent hither swarms of Officers to harass our people, and eat out their substance. — He has kept among us, in times of peace, Standing Armies without the Consent of our Legislatures. — He has affected to render the Military independent of and superior to the Civil power. — He has combined with others to subject us to a jurisdiction foreign to our constitution, and unacknowledged by our laws; giving his Assent to their Acts of pretended Legislation. — For quartering large bodies of armed troops among us. — For protecting them, by a mock Trial, from punishment for any Murders which they should commit on the Inhabitants of these States: — For cutting off our Trade with all parts of the world. — For imposing Taxes on us without our Consent: — For depriving us in many cases of the benefits of Trial by Jury. — For transporting us beyond Seas to be tried for pretended offences. — For abolishing the free System of English Laws in a neighbouring Province, establishing therein an arbitrary government, and enlarging its Boundaries so as to render it at once an example and fit instrument for introducing the same absolute rule into these Colonies. — For taking away our Charters, abolishing our most valuable Laws and altering fundamentally the Forms of our Governments. — For suspending our own Legislatures, and declaring themselves invested with power to legislate for us in all cases whatsoever. — He has abdicated Government here, by withdrawing us out of his Protection and waging War against us. — He has plundered our seas, ravaged our coasts, burnt our towns, and destroyed the lives of our people. — He is at this time transporting large Armies of foreign Mercenaries to complete the works of death, desolation and tyranny, already begun with circumstances of cruelty and perfidy, scarcely paralleled in the most barbarous ages and totally unworthy the head of a civilized nation. — He has constrained our fellow Citizens to bear arms on the high seas to bear arms against their Country, to become the executioners of their friends and Brethren, or to fall themselves by their Hands. — He has excited domestic insurrections amongst us, and has endeavoured to bring on the inhabitants of our frontiers, the merciless Indian Savages, whose known rule of warfare, is an undistinguished destruction of all ages, sexes and conditions. In every stage of these Oppressions we have Petitioned for Redress in the most humble terms: Our repeated Petitions have been answered only by repeated injury. A Prince, whose character is thus marked by every act which may define a Tyrant, is unfit to be the ruler of a free people. Nor have we been wanting in attention to our British brethren. We have warned them from time to time of attempts by their Legislature to extend an unwarrantable jurisdiction over us. We have reminded them of the circumstances of our emigration and settlement here. We have appealed to their native justice and magnanimity, and we have conjured them by the ties of our common kindred to disavow these usurpations, which, would inevitably interrupt our connections and correspondence. They too have been deaf to the voice of justice and of consanguinity. We must, therefore, acquiesce in the necessity, which denounces our separation, and hold them, as we hold the rest of mankind, Enemies in War, in Peace Friends.

We, therefore, the Representatives of the United States of America, in General Congress assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions, do, in the Name, and by Authority, of the good People of these Colonies, solemnly publish and declare, That these United Colonies are, and of Right ought to be Free and Independent States; that they are Absolved from all Allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain is and ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full Power to lay War, conclude Peace, contract Alliances, establish Commerce, and to do all other Acts and Things which Independent States may of right do. And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes and our sacred Honor.

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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Notes of Sunday Services and Other
Matters of Religious Interest.

Bethel A. M. E. Church, Rev. T. J. Jackson, pastor—Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School, 2 p. m.; Sacrament of the Lord's Supper in the evening.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Thomas Gordon, D. D., pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Epworth League, 3 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting, 6:30 p. m.; Songs free and strangers cordially invited.

North End M. E. Church—Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.; Rev. Lawrence, Supt.

W. C. T. U., 124 North street—Services at 3 o'clock. The public is invited to attend. Address by Rev. J. N. Emery.

First Congregational Church, Rev. W. A. Robinson, D. D., pastor—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; young people's service, 6:30 p. m. Morning subject: "A Strong Nation." Evening subject: "The Quality of Patriotism." Cordial welcome to all.

Y. M. C. A., North street—Meeting for men at 8:30 p. m. All men welcome. Good orchestra in attendance. Fourth of July address by Rev. Robert C. Diven, of Otisville. Subject: "Be True to Your Country." Ladies invited.

Christ Church (Universalist) Assembly Room, of North street, Rev. J. Newton Emery pastor, Sunday School at 10 a. m.; Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At the morning service, Rev. Mr. Huxtable, Unitarian, of Boston, Mass., will preach, following by reception of members and communion. Preaching in the evening by Rev. Mr. Huxtable. Subject: "The Lord Jesus Christ, Our Savior." All are invited.

Old School Baptist Church—Preaching at 2 p. m. by Elder F. A. Chick, of Hopewell, N. J.

North Street Congregational Church. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Norris. Sunday School, 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Preaching in the morning by Rev. W. Hayes, of Bulville. Seats free. Strangers welcome.

Free Christian Church—Sunday School, 11 a. m. Preaching in the evening by the pastor. Gospel Temperance Union this evening. Evening subject: "Some points of agreement held by all good people, 6 heads for Christian union."

Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles Beattie, D. D., pastor—Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; C. E. meeting, 6:30 p. m. Juniors meet at 3 p. m. Strangers welcome.

First Baptist Church, Rev. Frank A. Heath, pastor. Bible School at 9:30 a. m.; morning service at 11 a. m.; prayer meeting at 6:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Why Lifted Up," followed by reception of members and communion. Evening subject: "National Christianity Revealed by the Condition of Lower Classes," followed by baptism.

Grace (Episcopal) Church, Rev. D. J. Evans, E. A., rector—Sunday at Trinity. Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; Sermon and holy communion, 11 a. m.; Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE.

Conductor Coleman and Motorman Reed wear mourning faces nowadays. When the express messengers for the trolley service fall to them they were the envy of all the position-holders. But now, alas! No one rides on the closed car. Fair dandies who were wont to pick the front seat of an open car to "get a breeze" and watch Motorman Reed control the car, now throw sad glances at him and call out: "We'll wait for the next car."

Jacob Newmark, of the lunch wagon trust, is an expert wheelman—part of the time. "Jakie" wears glasses, but his ears are all right. When he was coming into town on his wheel at a fast clip, a night or two ago, he heard Erie No. 3 approaching the North street crossing and he scorching along to get ahead of the lowering of the gates. He dropped his head and went on the tracks as the gates were being lowered. He reached the southern gate just in time to plunge his head into it at its strongest part. He picked himself up and walked around in "a circle" for a few moments and when he recovered sufficiently an acquaintance asked him how he felt. He tried to grin and replied:

"For a few minutes I didn't care even if the old man had made me get off the streets with my wagon."

Umpire "Jack" Dugan said, to-day: "Turkey had to pitch over the plate in the game with the Port Jervis boys. He kicked, of course, but every time he said anything to me I said: 'Pitch 'em over the middle of the plate. Bill; you're big enough and strong enough.' When he sent good balls over the plate the Port Jervis men generally missed them, but as soon as he sent a high one they landed on it. Then he would turn around to me and say: 'Look at the fellow pick that ball off his ear.' All of which will be appreciated by the baseball enthusiasts, but it does seem like a foreign language to some of our readers."

When it was mentioned in this column, a few weeks ago, that there was money in sight for the man or boy who would open a belgrumite market, the extent to which the business would be developed was hardly anticipated. Friday afternoon there were no less than a score of boys and young men scouring the shallow places in the Wallkill and its tributary brooks in quest of the crawlers. There has been a great demand for them this afternoon by those who are planning fishing excursions for Monday.

Horace Dusenberry & Son display in their window a photograph of "Banjo Bill" Knapp, sitting on a "man motor" which he originated in 1869. It was made on sulky wheels, the lightest wheels made at that time, and was propelled by rotary pedals similar to those used in children's chair bicycles. Several bicycle manufacturers who know of this old wheel have made efforts unsuccessfully to find it. It was made in Montgomery.

"Our little girl had diarrhea in a very bad form. We tried everything we could think of but without effect until we got Dr. Fowler's extract of Wild Strawberry, which helped her right away." Mrs. Ann Borgman, Verban, Sanilac Co., Mich.

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OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLY
VAN COUNTY ARE DOING

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from Our Neighbors' Exchanges and Contributed by Wide Awake Correspondents.

The W. H. H. Williams boarding house property at Neversink was sold under fore-closure at the court house, on Monday afternoon last. It was bid in for the plaintiffs by Fred Ingraham, their attorney, for the sum of \$700.

Dr. Kidd, Fish and Game Protector, has brought an action in the Supreme Court against Edward Misner, of Loch Sheldrake, for maintaining an owl weir in the outlet of Loch Sheldrake.

Charles S. Starr, real estate agent, has sold the George Cantrell farm, lying in the southern part of the town of Thompson, near Cantrell's crossing, heretofore owned by David Carr. The purchaser is a New York man, and possession is to be given on or before the 10th of July. Consideration not made known. —Watchman.

Stanley B. Smith, the Monticello jeweler, has on exhibition in his store the first musical instrument ever used in a church in this village. The property is a small melodeon about three feet long and a foot square at the ends. The instrument was used in St. John's Episcopal Church many years ago, and is a relic of real interest. Mr. Smith says that every key is in perfect condition. W. H. Cady first learned to play on it.—Monticello Republican.

The annual picnic of the Farmers' Club of the town of Thompson was held Saturday, June 26th, in Joseph H. Pelton's grove. There was a large attendance, the dinner was enjoyed by all, there was good singing and interesting addresses, and taken as a whole the affair was a most pronounced success.

Two Livingston Manor men who stole a bottle of whiskey from Baurfield's hotel in North Branch, Tuesday, were followed to Callicoon and arrested. They gave up a watch and other property to settle the matter and were released.

Beginning July 1st Jeffersonville's mail service was greatly increased. The service on the Monticello route is made daily instead of tri-weekly and an extra daily mail to continue for three months is put on the Callicoon Depot route.

Melvin Osborn, of Monticello, is mystified at the strange behavior of one of his swarms of bees. Five times in two weeks have they left the hive and lighted on the same tree in a neighboring yard, from which they were taken and returned to the hive without trouble.

The Loomis Sanitarium at Liberty has issued its first annual report, covering the period from June 1, 1896, to March 31, 1897. The expenses were \$31,144.75. Eighty-seven patients had been admitted, of whom forty-four remained in the institution. Of those discharged nine were apparently cured, twenty-three were improved and eleven unimproved. The Rebecca Babbitt pavilion, the Kellogg cottage and Winthrop cottage are under contract to be ready for occupancy July 1st.

While Margaret Egger, of Swiss Hill, was visiting at a neighbor's, Monday night, some one entered her house and stole a revolver and a check book.

Hugh Stephenson died at Hurd, June 24th, of appendicitis, aged twenty-eight years. An operation was performed by Drs. Paine and Canthers, but it was not successful. He is survived by his wife.

The town board on Saturday last adopted a resolution instructing Highway Commissioner Sturdevant to serve a notice on the railroad company demanding that they restore the highway between Mott's crossing and the crossing where George Fries was killed to a condition which will lessen the danger to teams traveling between the two crossings. The railroad is encroaching upon the highway for a portion of the distance.—Evening.

Ex-Supervisor C. T. Kilbourne sustained a bad injury, a few days ago, by stepping on a piece of sharp metal at his saw mill at Strongtown.

Edward Prince, of Hurleyville, was badly hurt by the kick of a horse a few days ago.

The Register says that during the past few days many city people have arrived in Liberty.

One Dollar to New York on the 5th of July.

The Erie announces a one dollar excursion to New York city on July 5th via special train in both directions. Train leaves James street at 7:54 a. m. and Main street 7:56 a. m. Returning leaves New York at 7:40 p. m. thus giving abundant time to see the ball games morning and afternoon or to spend the day at the sea shore. —dtd.

There is a time for everything, and the time to attend to a cold is when it starts. Don't wait till you have consumption but prevent it by using One Minute Cough Cure, the great remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. W. D. Olney.

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Don't nauseate your stomach with teas and bitter herbs, but regulate your liver and cure sick headache by using those famous little pills known as Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers. W. D. Olney.

IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

Gone to the Catskills—Some Matters of
Local Interest—Personal Mention—
A Gale of Wind, a Woman With a
Headache and a Nap That Failed.

From a Special Correspondent.

The Misses May and Adelaide Grier, of this village, started on Thursday, for the Catskills.

Miss Lizzie Matthews will entertain the Ladies' Whist Club at her home in this village, next Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. George Betts delivered a Fourth of July oration at Maple avenue, today.

Rev. George Silliman was calling upon friends in Goshen, last Wednesday.

The Shakespeare class met for the last time this summer, on Thursday afternoon. The meetings will be resumed in the autumn.

It is strange how hard one is obliged to work sometimes to get a little rest. A friend was telling the writer, the other day, of her frantic struggles to take an afternoon nap and how worn out she was with her efforts. The friend in question was suffering with a nervous headache, and finally came to a spot where she could give up to it and lie down for a time. She sank upon the bed with a sigh of relief, closed her eyes, the pain that had been tearing the back of her head began to release its grip a little, and she was commencing to think what a comfortable hour she was about to spend. She reckoned, however, without a gale of wind that happened to be blowing at the time. First the door of the next room gave one or two preliminary creaks and then began to bang at irregular intervals. She lay still for a few moments, hoping that some one else would get aggravated enough to go and shut it. No one did, so she got up, did it herself and went back. Next the shade in front of an open window began to flap; she rose again, rolled it up to its fullest extent and once more returned to her couch. A few moments passed peacefully, then the shade unrolled and the flapping recommenced. Somewhat irritated, she made another sortie, closed the window with emphasis and resolved to have that nap or perish in the attempt. In the mean time, the wind shifted to the other side of the house; another shade began to flap, one of the curtains climbed out of the window and tried to run over to the neighbor's, and the pictures on the wall rattled. As the day was hot and she did not wish to shut all the windows and smother, she made another excursion; tied the curtain to the bureau, tacked the shade to the window frame, and took down the pictures. By this time her head was raging and her temper showed signs of wear and tear. She said she freely expected that the next trip, she would have to take up the carpet and move out the furniture, but fortunately things quieted down a little just then, so once more she wrapped the drapery of her couch about her and lay down, but not, alas! to pleasant dreams, for just then the dog came in, also in search of a nap. She told him it was no place for them, that she was out of them that day, and to call again, but he persisted, and the half doze into which she finally fell was punctuated by the clicking of his jaws, as he snapped at the flies. She vows that next time she has a headache she will clean house or take in washing, or do some little thing that will not over tire her, but never again will she attempt to wrestle with a nap when old Boreas is running things. —G. H.

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18 to 16 cents per pound by the package. Celery, Cabbage and Cauliflower Plants. New Potatoes 25 cents per pack. Green Peas 30 cents. Lettuce, Cucumbers, Yellow Wax Beans, Tomatoes, Onions, Radishes, Asparagus, Beets, Cherries, Strawberries, etc.

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NOW IS THE TIME

To paint your buildings. We have just received a large shipment of H. W. Johns' ASBESTOS PAINTS, for which we have taken the agency for Middletown and vicinity. These paints are acknowledged by all to be the best prepared paints on the market. Call for a color card and see what is claimed for them.

At our yard can be found a complete line of White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress, Whitewood, Spruce and Hemlock Lumber. A large quantity of Shingles that cannot be duplicated at present prices when these are gone. Also Lime, Cement, Plaster and all Masons' Materials. And don't forget that we will sell the best and cleanest coal to be found in Middletown. TELEPHONE 181.

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12 to 20 Henry St

Eyesights Are Priceless

and Delays Are Dangerous

Improperly fitted glasses are ruinous to your eyes. Do not be experimented upon by so-called professors and opticians as it costs no more to have it done by one that is Reliable, Responsible and practical. Something new in eye glasses that fit any nose. Spectacles with all the latest improvements that are in the market. Eyes tested accurately and suitably free of charge. Every pair guaranteed. Complete assortment of artificial eyes always in stock to match any color or shape can be found at the CRYSTAL FRONT JEWELRY STORE.

F. D. KERNOCHAN,

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Ball Bearing Bicycle Shoes

for men, in black and tan. Ladies' Bicycle Shoes in vici kid and canvas tops. These goods are all made of good materials, and will fit and wear well, and are sold at prices as low as good shoes can be sold at the One Price Shoe Store of

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25 West Main St., Middletown.

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come to our store and we will do the rest to make you feel happy with our prices on our Millinery, Shirt Waists Skirts, Suits, Capes, Parasols, etc. We have more of these goods than any other two stores combined.

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Corner North and West Main street, Middletown, N. Y.

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BICYCLES AND SUNDRIES

I have on hand the following new 1897 \$300 Model 1000, \$275, 1 Trial \$250, 1 Dayton \$250, 1 Pierce \$250, 1 Waverley \$250, 1 Spalding 1906 Model, with 37 tires and saddle, \$50. A line of Juveniles, which I will close out cheap. All wheels full of new tires. Second-hand wheels from \$15 up. Also, new and second-hand, both double, diamond and combination for rent. Repairing a specialty.

C. L. SWEZY,

24 North Street, Corner King St., Middletown.

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THE EXTENSIVE BOX-FIDE CIRCULATION of the Argus and Mercury makes them excellent advertising mediums. Being the only Democratic papers published in Middletown, they have a sold exclusively their own. Rates on application.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 3.—Fair, tonight; probably showers Sunday night; slightly warmer Sunday.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Proctor's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 68°; 12 m., 86°; 3 p. m., 90°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

July 5—Grand celebration at Midway Park.
July 5—Excursion to points on O. and W. Railroad.
July 5—Brighton Athletic Club vs. Asylooms, on State Hospital grounds. Game called at 2 p. m.
July 5—Eagle Patrol picnic at Mannerchor Park.
July 5—Races at Goshen.
July 5—Excursion to New York, via Erie Railroad.
July 5—Mary Powell excursion.
July 12—Asylooms vs. Poughkeepsies, on State Hospital grounds.
Aug. 14—Orange County Circuit, at Fair Grounds.
August 1—Millard Division's dam broke.

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1897.

NO PAPER, MONDAY.

Monday being the day set apart for the celebration of the one hundred and twenty-first anniversary of American Independence, no paper will be issued from this office.

By reason of the day we celebrate this is a free country, and it follows that any newspaper has the right to publication each and every day of the year. But as for the Argus it draws the line at the Fourth of July, that day of days immortal in the annals of the Republic. The Argus's employees will be at liberty to celebrate their country's natal day, as were their fathers and their father's fathers. May they have a good time, may the fires of patriotism be kindled anew in their hearts, there to burn forever.

Viewing the subject in a broader sense, this country suffers from a failure to observe Independence Day in the way in which the fathers kept and honored it. The lessons of patriotism, of pride in our nation's glorious history and achievements, and of devotion to the priceless blessings bequeathed us by the founders of the Republic, which were learned by and impressed upon the people at the Fourth of July celebrations of the olden time, were a bulwark of strength to the nation in its hour of need. The utilitarian spirit of to-day, the greed which cannot spare even our country's day of days from the quest of the almighty dollar, is a poor substitute indeed for patriotism and national pride.

Mark Hanna has caused it to be announced that the strike of the bituminous coal miners, which is to be inaugurated July 4th, is instigated by the Ohio Democratic leaders, who wish to cut off the supply of coal and thus paralyze the industry. With nearly 150,000 men in the iron and steel, glass and other trades idle in Western Pennsylvania and Ohio, it would seem that industry was sufficiently paralyzed to obviate the necessity of conspiracy to paralyze it further.

The New York Journal, which for several days had a long lead on the World in its efforts to "unravel" the mystery of New York's "murder mystery" was left behind yesterday by its rival. The World, aided by the preternatural intelligence of the sorrel horse Mrs. Mack and Martin Thorne drove on their Saturday night ride, was able to locate a lot of grayson's robes—blood stained and "sich," which it asserts were partly burned by the murderers. As sleuths, the reporters for New York's sensational papers, leave the detective force far behind. The only trouble is that their excess of zeal discredits the "evidence" they bring to light.

Ohio has entered on the liveliest political campaign it has known since the days of "Old Bill" Allen. Factional feuds, weakened the Republican organization, especially in the cities, wide spread discontent in the industrial centres will cost the party many votes which it had last year, and Foraker and his friends, though professedly friendly to Hanna and his "national aspirations," are distracted, for it is known that they have rancors in their boots which they will use if occasion offers. On the other hand, the Democratic party enters on the campaign handicapped by a very badly managed State convention, which needlessly re-

pelled gold Democrats, which refused help that free silver Republicans were anxious to give, and which by the way in which its nominations were made left many antagonisms. With these conditions before them, each party is none the less confident of success and the State will be canvassed more thoroughly than in any campaign in recent years.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE.

Estimated that 142,000 Men Will Quit Work July 4th.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 3.—The largest convention of coal miners ever held in this district began here at 10 o'clock, this morning, to take action on the strike. Circulars were sent out by the general officers a few days ago. President Dolan stated the the committee on resolutions had prepared a report and that this would be presented, this afternoon.

In the Pittsburgh district 21,000 miners will be concerned. Many of these, however, have not been working regularly for some time. In the Clearfield district 23,000 miners are employed when the mines are running, and District President Dolan says the whole district will go out. The number of men in other States who are concerned in the present strike, so far as can be estimated, is as follows: Ohio, 25,000; Illinois, 40,000; Indiana, 9,000, and in West Virginia about 22,000; total 142,000.

The miners employed in the vicinity of Greensburg will not join the strike, but on the contrary are preparing for a rush of work.

THE TARIFF BILL.

A Beet Sugar Amendment Offered and Withdrawn—Other Minor Amendments Proposed.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Senator Allison on behalf of the Finance Committee, this morning, offered an amendment to the tariff bill giving a bounty of one-fourth of a cent per pound on beet sugar produced in the United States, but subsequently withdrew it.

Mr. Allison also presented another amendment providing for a tariff inquiry by three members of a Board of Appraisers.

Another amendment was offered providing for the withdrawal of goods in bond by American vessels engaged in foreign trade.

Mr. Allison stated that later in the day the amendment concerning the stamping of stock certificates and bonds would be presented.

FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

Two Men Killed and One Badly Hurt at Allegheny City.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

PITTSBURGH, July 3.—By the explosion of three boilers at the Allegheny salt works of Haller, Beck & Co., Andy Pfeuger and George Krouse were killed and John Rul was badly injured. The explosion wrecked the plant and set the ruins on fire. The cause of the explosion is not known.

HOT AND HUMID WEATHER.

Heat General Throughout the Country and Likely to Last for Several Days.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

New York, July 3.—The indications given by the Weather Bureau here are for very hot and humid weather for the next three or four days. The heat is general and advices from Kansas, Nebraska and neighboring localities indicate serious damage to crops.

Will Repeat Wednesday Evening's Programme.

The 24th Company's band will repeat Wednesday evening's programme at its concert at Midway Park, to-morrow afternoon.

Cart Horse Run Away.

A cart horse driven by a colored man ran away, this morning, on Canal street. The man jumped out and the cart was overturned at Fred Lasser's, when the horse was captured.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—Henry Scheneman, a fireman on the New York Division of the Erie, fell from the running board of his engine in the Port Jervis yard, Thursday evening, and received severe and extensive scalp wounds. An ankle was also badly sprained.

BEAUTIFUL SKIN

Soft, White Hands with Shapely Nails, Luxuriant Hair with Clean, Wholesome Scalp, produced by CUTICURA SOAP, the most effective skin purifying and beautifying soap in the world, as well as purest and sweetest, for toilet, bath, and nursery. The only preventive of inflammation and clogging of the pores.

Cuticura

Fear is sold throughout the world. PORTER DAVIS AND CUTICURA CO., Sole Props., Boston, U. S. A. "How to Purify and Beautify the Skin, Scalp, and Hair," mailed free.

BABY HUMORS itching and scaling, instantly relieved by CUTICURA. RINGBROOK.

Insist

Upon having just what you call for when you go to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla. There is no substitute for Hood's. It is an insult to your intelligence to try to sell you something else. Remember that all efforts to induce you to buy an article you do not want, are based simply

Upon

the desire to secure more profit. The dealer or clerk who does this cares nothing for your welfare. He simply wants your money. Do not permit yourself to be deceived. Insist upon having

Hood's Sarsaparilla

And only Hood's. It is the One and Only Purifier. Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy to operate.

GRAND JURY SCORED.

Justice Gummere Talks Very Plainly to the Mercer County (N. J.) Members.

TRENTON, July 3.—The Mercer county grand jury, after an investigation of about two weeks in connection with county affairs, which were investigated by a special commission, came into court yesterday and announced that they had no indictments. They handed up some papers, which indicated that they may have made a presentment to the court.

Justice Gummere severely scored the grand jury and said there were only two possible conclusions to be formed. One was that they had not made a complete investigation, and the other was that they had deliberately violated their obligations.

He instanced the case of Freeholder Cross, who had sold coal to the county in the name of a third person. He said this was a clear violation of the criminal law, and the jury could not escape finding a bill of indictment.

As to the county roads frauds, he said it was possible that the overpayment of thousands of dollars may have been the result of honest mistakes, but he found it hard to believe this and was inclined to the opinion that the grand jury had not made a sufficiently thorough investigation.

He therefore ordered them to retire for the purpose of further consideration.

CITY OFFICIALS INDICTED.

Prominent Men Charged With Malfeasance in Office.

LOUISVILLE, July 3.—The grand jury has returned indictments against the three members of the board of public safety, Colonel R. J. Tilford, Charles A. Wilson and Daniel E. O'Sullivan, and Chief of Police Thomas H. Taylor, charging them with malfeasance in office.

The indictments charge that the defendants, all of whom have control of the Louisville police force, have willfully and flagrantly violated and neglected the city in failing to close the three poolrooms in this city.

True bills were also returned against the Turf Exchange, the Newmarket and the Suburban poolrooms and against the private policemen who watch these resorts. It is the culmination of an effort started some time ago to close the poolrooms and stop all gambling.

STRANGE PHENOMENON.

Continuous Rise and Fall of the Sea Near Barcelona.

BARCELONA, Spain, July 3.—There was a strange phenomenon here on Thursday. The sea rose and fell a yard every ten minutes for several hours. The moorings of the British warship Surprise were carried away, and she had to put to sea. The same phenomenon occurred at the time of the Krakatoa earthquake.

Krakatoa was a volcanic island in the strait of Sunda, the passage between the islands of Sumatra and Java from the Indian ocean into the sea of Java. The island, which had an area of 13 square miles, was destroyed by an earthquake and disappeared in 1883. It was situated in latitude 6 south and longitude 105 east.

Damage Verdict Set Aside.

BOSTON, July 3.—A verdict of \$24,500 in favor of Lewis Olsen, who sued the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad for damages, has been set aside and a new trial granted by Judge Hopkins of the Suffolk superior court. Olsen, who lives in Cambridge, lost both legs by being run over while at work for the Boston Bridge works on April 13, 1896, building a drawbridge over Fort Point channel. The verdict was the largest returned in the superior court for Suffolk in a personal injury case for a year.

PERSONAL.—The gentleman who annoyed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing will find instant relief by using One Minute Cough Cure, a speedy and harmless remedy for throat and lung troubles. W. D. Olney.

Hot Weather Dress Goods at Extremely Low Prices

Printed Organdies 6½c, Printed Silks 29, 39, 65 and 75c, Fancy Swiss Muslins at 45c, reduced from 60c, Grass Linens 16 to 75c, White Lawns 9c, reduced from 12½c, Silk Stripe Challies 16c, and a multitude of others equally cheap.

We are offering decided bargains in Table Linens, Towels, Napkins, Quilts, Sheets and Cases, which it will pay you to investigate. Commencing July 6th, our store will close evenings at 6 o'clock, except Mondays and Saturdays.

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 West Main Street.

Telephone 166.



Big Bargains in Ready Made CLOTHING.

In order to reduce our stock, we are making a special reduction in Suits, Overcoats and Extra Pantaloons. Now is a good chance to buy good goods at a very low figure. Our Fancy Outing goods at a very low figure. We carry a full and Dress Shirts are big sellers. We carry a full stock of Belts. We are offering some special values in Neckwear, all the latest styles.

MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT

In order to close our line of Suits and Trouserings, we will make a special price on Suits and Extra Trousers. Hats—Hats—Hats—We have a full line in Straws, Light Derbies and Soft Hats. Summer Underwear in all grades at bottom prices.

JOHN E. ADAMS,

Leading Hatter and Clothier, No. 41 North Street.

The Price of Goods Special Sale

CHURCHILL'S PARASOLS

Always as Low or Lower

than goods of equal quality can be bought elsewhere.

—Examine the leaders in our various departments and compare

—See our Table Linen at 20, 25c, also our special qualities at 30 and 32c.

—Unbleached Muslin 3½c, full yard wide, fine quality.

—Wamsutta Muslin at 6c per yard.

—9-4 Bleached Sheet 16c.

—We are showing a beautiful stock of Umbrellas and Parasols. Over 100 varieties from 49c to \$2.50. Special quality silk 98c.

—Cleaning out 100 dozen of Shirt Waists at cost. We carry none over.

—25 dozen fine Kid Gloves 69c, the dollar quality.

H. E. CHURCHILL & CO.

No. 39 North Street.

Clearing Sale of TAN SHOES.

"The Hub" Shoe Store,

13 West Main Street.

Next to Carson & Towner's.

Children's Tan Shoes, laced or button,

Sizes 5 to 8, 50c

Sizes 8½ to 11, 60c

Sizes 11½ to 2, 75c

former price 75, 90c, \$1.

Ladies' Tan Ties 65c a pair

Sun Umbrellas.

CORSETS!

If you are looking for them, you can find here all the leading styles, including the "Cycle" Corset, and prices to suit you. Our "Floral" Corset at 50 cts is a beauty. Ventilated at 25c and up.

BELTS, SHIRT WAIST SETS AND TIES,

all styles and prices.

J. D. HORTON, AGT.,

No. 27 West Main Street.

The Great Food Digester.

S. Grover Graham's Dyspepsia Cure is having a very unusual sale, because of its unusual merit. For sale by

F. M. PRONK

HANFORD & HORTON.

Hot Weather Comforts.

—A good Hammock is one of them. Our stock contains the best and cheapest.

—Our Porch Screens take but little from your pocket, in comparison with the comfort they give.

—Summer Amusement—Croquet, Tennis and Base Ball Goods at close prices.

—Photographic Supplies of all kinds.

—Novels in paper and cloth for the idle hour.

—Fine Stationery for vacation and home use. Our special Bond Paper only 25c a pound.

—Japanese Lanterns for lawn parties, Japanese Napkins for all occasions.

Hanford & Horton,

No. 6 North St., Middletown.

HARD TIMES.

Yes, we admit that, but just take a peep into our Custom Department. The rush of orders there does not indicate hard times, but then hard times prices and goods and workmanship of the highest order have made things lively for us this summer.

\$5 SUITS!

We have another large invoice of them, and remember that these goods are not trashy or old style, but up to date and up in quality 35 and 67c Shirts are going like wild fire. Come quick and get one. Eighmie & Cromwell Shirts. Do you like to wear them? They are certainly the very best made.

A new Straw Hat is now in order. We can fit you out in good shape. Something new in Traveling Bags and Dress Suit Cases. Our Wire Ventilated Bicycle Caps are popular with wheelmen.

GEO. W. YOUNG,

Clothier, Hatter and Merchant Tailor, 16-18 East Main St.

FOR SATURDAY!

All Nice Fresh Goods.

California Cherries, Home Grown Tomatoes, Splendid Cauliflower, Asparagus, Green Beans, Wax Beans, Peas, Extra No. 1 New Potatoes, Fresh Spinach, Radishes, Beets, Turnips, Carrots, Parsley, Fancy Sweet Oranges, Lovely Strawberries, etc.

CITY GROCERS.

Bull & Youngblood

56 North St., Opp. Postoffice

A CRASH

IN GOODS.

We are showing Crash Suits for gents at \$3, as good as any \$5 suit. Caps to match 22c. You can get more comfort in a crash suit these hot days than you can from any thin clothing.

Also Bicycle Crash Suits \$2.50.

New line of Colored Shirts, soft bosom, only 49c.

Morris B. Wolf.

DON'T PASS THIS SPACE!

AS IT IS A

MONEY SAVER.

Season is drawing to a close. We are the first in the field to start to cut prices in all departments. We have too many to mention. You will have to come and look at them. All Ladies' and Children's untrimmed hats, were formerly from 50c to \$1.35, now your pick 25c. We are selling Ladies' Shirt Waist, detachable collar, regular price 69c, our price as long as they last 33c. You will never find any auction bought trash in our store. Our established reputation will not allow it. Look for the popular store.

L. STERN, 13-15 NORTH ST.

C. EMMET CRAWFORD.

DAILY ARGUS.

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1897.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Hot weather comforts at Hanford & Horton's.
—Chambers' Magic Corn Cure 15c.
—See notice to all water consumers.
—Grocery store to exchange for farm.
—Fountain Springs 48c at J. J. Chambers.
—Fireworks cheap at Millsbach's.
—See E. F. Todd's card.
—Soap and wash cloth 10c at J. J. Chambers.
—Men's tan shoes \$1.75 at Chas. D. Hanford's.
—Six-room cottage for sale.
—Three-room flat to let.
—Special meeting Walkill Engine Co.
—See report Orange Co. Trust and Safe Deposit Co.
—Good wagons for sale by Middletown Wagon Co.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Additional local matter on second and third pages.
—Lindsay & Co., shut down Friday night until Tuesday.
—Asylums vs. Brightons, Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.
—Eagle's picnic, Monday, should draw a big crowd afternoon and evening.
—The store of the A. and P. Tea Company will be closed all day, Monday.
—A Newburgh triplet passed through town, Friday night, en route to Delaware Water Gap.
—A. S. Wells and Robert Mapes have purchased the county right to sell Rockwell's adjustable swing chair.
—H. Walzenegger's chicken coop was looted, last night, and a half-dozen fancy game chickens were stolen.
—The Mary Powell excursion, July 8, will leave this city at 7 o'clock, a. m., and returning will reach here at 7:10 p. m.

—The last Harper's Weekly shows the launch Olivette among the boats on the Hudson at the Cornell-Yale-Harvard race.
—The First Congregational Church will have charge of the service at the Convalescent Children's Home, to-morrow, at 3 o'clock.
—Farmers supplying milk to the Sidney Centre creamery have been signing a paper pledging themselves to deliver no milk for less than fifty cents a can.
—"Spot" Kniffen, the East Main street prognosticator, correctly foretold the weather for every day for the last week. He made his guess a week ago.
—The Port Jervis base ball team arrived in town, to-day, on Erie train 6, and went to Goshen on the trolley cars. They were accompanied by a crowd of rooters.

—The post office will close, Monday at 12, for the remainder of the day. All mails will be dispatched as usual. The carriers will make one delivery in the morning.
—An operation for appendicitis was performed in the Port Jervis hospital, Thursday night, on a nine-year-old girl named Annick. Her chances of recovery are excellent.
—The Ogden memorial library in Walton is practically completed. It has cost \$13,500, and is a very handsome building, admirably adapted to the purpose for which it is designed.

—Many farmers in Madison county are offering to sell their farms for less than the valuations put upon them by the assessors, who have tried to live up to the law requiring them to assess at full value.

—Elder F. A. Chick, of Hopewell, N. J., will preach at the Old School Baptist meeting house at New Vernon, to-morrow, at 10:30 a. m. and 3 p. m., in this city, corner of Roberts and Cottage streets.

—Alderman Joshua Hirst, who has the agency for the Knickerbocker fire extinguisher, is booking many orders from the proprietors of factories and business places, and not a few householders have bought extinguishers for the protection of their homes. The Knickerbocker is safe, convenient, cheap and reliable.

PERSONAL.

—Miss Maud Smith is visiting at Chester.
—T. H. Bryan, of Chester, went to Rochester, to-day.
—Charles H. Drew, of Chicago, is the guest of R. M. Rorty.

—Mrs. H. V. Ellsworth, of Middletown, is visiting at Rockland.—Review.
—Chas. McKee, of the Walden Fire Department, was in town, to-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Smith went to Buffalo, to-day, to visit their daughter.
—E. A. Brown has recovered from his recent illness and is about town, to-day.

—Frank Myers and William Rele went to Scranton, to-day, to spend July 4-5.

—Mrs. Leo Barnett, of Amsterdam, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolff.

—Masters Ralph and Fred Tuttle are visiting friends in Middletown.—Walton Times.

—D. E. Young, of Jacksonville, Fla., is visiting his brother-in-law, Otis Hardenburgh.

—James Powers, of Brooklyn, is in town visiting his parents and other friends.

—Miss Rosa Schwartz, of Paterson, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schwartz.

—W. J. Bailie, the landlord of the Sturtz Hotel, Goshen, was in this city, yesterday, on business.

—The Reporter says that Mrs. Alice St. John, of this city, is the guest of Julia Oothoudt, of Walton.

—William Ackerly, of Jersey City, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this city, returned home, to-day.

—Charles E. Stevens has moved from Miss Reardsley's building and shipped his goods to Middletown.—Liberty Register.

—Mrs. Margaret Stanton, of Oneonta, who has been visiting ex-Alderman

Charles G. Baldwin, returned home, to-day.

—Middletown is likely to be well represented at Bullville on the 4th.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hoar and daughter, went to Port Jervis, to-day, to spend Sunday and Monday.

—Mrs. Charles Collard, of 21 Little avenue, and children are visiting relatives and friends in Warwick and Bellville.

—The heavy fog which shrouded the earth, this morning, was a new experience in summer weather in this section.

—A Fremont Centre correspondent notes that Miss Eloise Harding is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Harding.

—The camp of the Boys' Branch of the Newburgh Y. M. C. A. will be opened at Cromwell's Lake, Highland Mills, next Wednesday.

—Mrs. Anna Schleta and her two children, of New York city, are here on a two weeks' visit to the home of her uncle, Frank Newey, No. 9 Lake avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morgans and child went to-day to the Knight family residence at Stockport, Pa., where Mrs. Morgans will stay during the summer.

—D. M. Schlimmer, who was taken to Thrall Hospital, Friday, threatened with appendicitis, passed a very comfortable night and no operation has been thought necessary as yet.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Marvin, the former being Erie agent at Chester, left, to-day, for a few days' visit with relatives at Athens, Pa.

—Misses Belle Hayes, Maysie Thompson, Pearl Corwin and Florence Decker and Will G. Decker went to Warwick, this afternoon. They will be the guests of Mrs. Grinnell Burt until Tuesday.

—J. L. Stewart Jr., of Mayfield, Pa., is spending the Fourth at his home in this city. He has as his guest E. H. Fasset, of Kingston. Mr. Stewart who has been a stenographer to F. G. Stontenburger, foreman of the O. and W.'s Scranton Division shops, has recently been promoted to the position of chief clerk at the shops.

—Miss Lila A. Stewart has been asked to visit Nyack, next week, and arrange to give a kermess there for the benefit of a local charity. She begins rehearsals next week for the kermess she is to give in Ellenville for the benefit of the Masonic Hall building fund and will endeavor to arrange a date for Nyack after she has given her entertainment in Ellenville.

COAL PRICES GO UP.

Local Dealers Notified of an Advance of Twenty-Five Cents a Ton.

Coal dealers in this city received, to-day, circulars notifying them of an advance of twenty-five cents a ton in the prices of chestnut, stove and egg sizes.

It is probable that local dealers will make a corresponding advance.

John A. Wallace says that on Tuesday morning his price will be advanced twenty cents a ton on the sizes named. He will, however, fill all orders received to day at the old prices. Being a patriotic citizen, he will do no business Monday.

FISHERMEN'S LUCK.

More Successful as Catchers of Helgramites Than of Bass.

Two young men of this city planned to go fishing, to-day, and in order to make sure of a good catch they devoted yesterday afternoon to providing bait. They went to the Walkill, worked all afternoon in the broiling sun and captured forty-four helgramites. This morning they got up at 3 o'clock and went to Monhagen Lake, where they fished all morning, returning at noon with one bass so small that it's lucky they didn't meet the Game Protector or his deputies.

Pine Bush Canning Factory at a Stand Still.

From the Walden Citizen.

The canning factory at Pine Bush is at a stand still. Last Monday the farmers who had taken stock in the plant secured the services of Counsellor J. R. Taylor, of Middletown, who appeared on the ground and forbade the breaking of ground in behalf of the company.

Band and Orchestra Concerts at Midway on Sunday.

Another of the 24th Separate Co.'s band concerts will be given at Midway Park, to-morrow, at 3 p. m., and in the evening the orchestra will give one of their concerts that proved so popular last week.

Plans of the Wheelmen.

It's hot, to-day, and the Weather Bureau prophesies that it will be hotter, to-morrow; besides the roads are deep with dust, but little things like those don't bother the bicyclists and they are planning long rides in many directions for to-morrow and Monday.

Shut Down for Two Weeks.

The saw factory shut down, Friday night, for two weeks. The employees have been working on short time of late and this shut down will give them ample opportunity to enjoy the portion of McKinley prosperity that has been allotted to them.

Will Not Buy the Free Christian Church.

We are assured by one high in the councils of the Universalist Church that the trustees of Christ Church have no thought of buying the Free Christian Church. At no time have they seriously considered the matter.

Seeing the Goshen-Port Jervis Game.

A number of Middletowners are at Goshen, this afternoon, witnessing the ball game between Port Jervis and Goshen.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

The famous little pills.

HEAVY SUMMER TRAVEL.

Many City People Going Into the Country—Trains on the Erie and O. and W. Heavily Loaded With Passengers.

The railroads began to feel last night the rush of summer travel, many people fleeing to the country to escape the heat and noise of the cities on the Fourth.

Erie train 7, Friday night, was unusually heavy and No. 3 carried an unusually large number of passengers. This morning trains 9 and 21 had eight and seven coaches respectively, all well filled. This afternoon's trains were all heavy ones and it is probable that it will be necessary to run some of this evening's trains in sections.

The Sullivan County Express on the O. and W. was well loaded with summer boarders, last night, ten cars being necessary to transport the passengers. Two engines were used from Cornwall to this city.

This morning, O. and W. No. 1 had ten cars and No. 3 eight cars, all crowded. The half-holiday train is reported as coming with a very large load of passengers and another rush is expected on the later trains.

TRIM YOUR TREES.

Or Men Employed by the City Will Do It for You.

Many of the shade trees of this city are sadly in need of trimming in order that the lights may have a chance to do their duty nights. The authorities propose that low and overhanging branches shall be removed, and a few days will be allowed property owners to perform the work themselves; then the Street Commissioner's men will do it. If you neglect the opportunity don't argue with the Commissioner when he appears.

MAY DEATH RATE.

The death rate for the month of May has just been published by the State Board of Health. Following is the rate for Orange county's cities and villages:

	Pop.	Deaths	Per 1,000
Newburgh.....	24,536	42	20.00
Port Jervis.....	9,327	14	18.00
Middletown.....	11,612	15	15.15
Warwick.....	6,000	7	14.00
Goshen.....	4,646	9	23.20
Montgomery.....	5,259	11	24.00

Of the nine deaths charged against Goshen, five occurred at Orange Farm.

Bar Pipe Music and Scottish Dances at the Lawn Party for the Convalescent Home.

J. R. Lamb, of Brooklyn, the celebrated piper, who furnished bag-pipe music at a recent entertainment in the First Presbyterian Church, will play the pipes at the lawn party for the Convalescent Home, at Mrs. M. D. Stivers', next Friday afternoon. He will be accompanied by his son, who will dance to the skirling of the pipes.

Killed While Trying to Save His Dog.

John Dinkelman, aged twenty, of P. terson, was killed about noon, yesterday, on the Erie-Hawthorne bridge. One of his dogs ran on the bridge and Dinkelman seeing an express train coming ran on the bridge after the animal and did not get off in time to escape the train.

When You Can Sprinkle.

A notice will be found in the advertising columns which states that water can be used for sprinkling purposes for only four of the twenty-four hours, and these before 8 a. m. and after 4 p. m. Violators of this rule are liable to be fined and to have the water shut off until the fine is paid.

Ought to Burn 'Em.

From the Newburgh News.

An elderly woman who lives at the north end of the city complained at the police station, Friday morning, that witches were annoying her. She appears to be perfectly sane on every subject except witches.

Bank Dividends.

—The trustees of the Orange County Trust and Safe Deposit Company met, last night, and declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent., free of tax, payable on and after June 15th.

—The Merchants and Manufacturers Bank of this city has declared its semi-annual dividend of two per cent. The directors passed \$750 to surplus account and \$500 to reduction of premium account.

After serious illness Hood's Sarsaparilla has wonderful building up power. It purifies the blood and restores perfect health.

One Will.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

New Insurance Agency—Playing Ball—Attended a Veterans' Reunion—The Maple Avenue Celebration—Savings Bank Dividend—Odd Fellows' Lodge Rooms—Fourth of July Festival.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Ed. C. Price has taken the agencies for several first class fire and tornado insurance companies. He will have his office in the County Clerk's building and will conduct his business as their representative in connection with his present duties.

—The Goshen and Port Jervis baseball teams are struggling for supremacy at the Driving Park, this afternoon. The season opens with a very attendance.

—Saul Cooper and David Bruce, members 81st New York Volunteers, (1st Excelsior), attended, yesterday, the reunion of their regiment at Newark, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson will start, to-day, for a sojourn of two weeks at Asbury Park.

—A number of patriotic Goshen people are attending the old fashioned combination Independence Day and temperance celebration, which will be held this afternoon and evening at Maple avenue.

—The Goshen Savings Bank has declared its usual semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on deposits of \$1,000 and less, and three per cent. on deposits in excess of that amount.

—Orange Lodge, I. O. O. F., has taken a ten years' lease of the second floor of the Purdy building and will fit up new lodge rooms.

—St. John's Church will hold its annual Fourth of July festival, on Monday evening, at St. John's Hall. There will be dancing, refreshments and all the other pleasant features, which heretofore have gone to make these annual affairs so successful and enjoyable.

Railway Conductors May Visit Midway Park.

Supt. Urbin, of the Traction Company, went to Jersey City, this morning, in response to a telegram from President J. C. Hinchliffe, to confer with an order of railway conductors with a view of inducing them to run their annual excursion to Midway Park, this summer.

To sail for Europe Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Adams and their daughter, Miss Lilian, will sail, Tuesday, on the Havel of the North German Lloyd line for Bremen. They will visit Berlin, Vienna, Munich, Strasburg, Paris and London and will sail for home from Southampton, Aug. 18, on the same steamer.

Twenty-three Additions to the Membership of Christ Church.

At the business meeting of the First Universalist Society, last night, at the residence of the pastor, Rev. J. Newton Emery, twenty-three members were added, who will be received into the church, to-morrow, at the morning service.

No Quorum Present.

A quorum was not present at the special meeting of the Board of Water Commissioners, which was to have been held last night.

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fects, at 1 1/2 c a yard, regular 25c

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m., to buy Fruit of the Loom and

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stitched Handkerchiefs, with col-

ored border, at 1 cent each. These

handkerchiefs would be cheap at

5 cents each.

We are closed all day Monday.

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July 6th.

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City of Para's Passengers Tell a Startling Tale.

MANY DEATHS OCCUR ON THE TRIP.

Three-fourths of the Passengers Said to Have Been Attacked by the Disease—Facts Were Hidden by the Officers.

New York, July 3.—Passengers who have just arrived here on the steamship Alliance tell a harrowing story of their experience aboard the Pacific Mail steamer City of Para, which left Panama for San Francisco on May 23 last. It seems that two days after clearing the isthmus yellow fever broke out among the crew and passengers of the Pacific liner, which caused a panic on board and resulted in the death of the commander of the vessel, Captain Martensen.

Three-fourths of the passengers, it is said, were attacked by the dread contagion, and at least a dozen of them found watery graves in the Pacific ocean. When the vessel finally reached San Francisco, the facts of the terrible voyage were suppressed, and the sickness and death were attributed to tropical dysentery.

But the passengers who came here say that there was no mistaking the symptoms, which were plainly those of yellow fever.

Raging on the Isthmus.

The contagion was raging on the isthmus, but when the passengers went on board the City of Para they were told by the officers that they need not have any fear. There was no effort at fumigation, and Mrs. Captain Mitchell, the wife of an Englishman commanding one of the vessels of the Chilean line, made her appearance on the City of Para heavily veiled. There was no uneasiness. Three days out she died from the so-called "tropical dysentery." She was buried at sea, and the next to be taken down was Captain Martensen of the City of Para. Before he died the fever had spread all over the ship.

In the first class cabin and steerage alike the yellow death dealer went, and how many were prostrated will probably never be known. The officers suppressed every scrap of news they could, and Dr. Renz insisted on his original diagnosis. At Punta Arenas the Echeveria family, one of the richest in Costa Rica, took passage on the City of Para, not knowing that yellow jack was raging on board.

Discovered Too Late.
They were not long in finding it out, however, but by that time the vessel had weighed anchor and was proceeding on its voyage. Out the coast there were two or three funerals a day, and those who were not affected were panic-stricken at their danger.

After much pleading, Mrs. Holt, whose husband is in the pig iron business in this city, Mr. and Mrs. Zeiss and their daughter, owners of a coffee plantation at Mataguala, Nicaragua, were put ashore at Corinto, and at San Jose de Guatemala several members of the Echeveria family were landed. Senor Echeveria, however, remained on the City of Para, and reached San Francisco all right.

It is alleged that the officers of the vessel supplied the passengers with spoiled meat before San Jose de Guatemala was reached, and this bad food is believed to have added additional impetus to the yellow fever's course. At San Salvador a band bound for the expedition at San Jose de Guatemala came aboard, and while the passengers were sick and dying around them the musicians gave five hour concerts daily. There were several Americans on board and they also landed with the Echeverias. Some of them returned to Panama and crossing to Colon came back to this city, arriving here on the Alliance.

To Reopen an Old Suit.

Santa Fe, July 3.—E. A. Garza, a Mexican lawyer of Monterey, has been several days preparing to file a new claim in the United States land court for the Peralta land grant, made famous by the long suit of A. T. Reavis, which ended in the latter's sentence of two years' imprisonment for fraud. Peralta Reavis only claimed 12,000,000 acres, but Garza holds that the grant included 50,000,000 acres, and that he has ample proof of the claim. He says the records are in San Luis Potosi and not in Spain.

Not Murderer Fined.

Bridgeton, N. J., July 3.—The Port Norris authorities are now satisfied that the demented stranger who was in custody there was not Louis Fiehl, the murderer of Christian Zales, and who escaped from the Trenton asylum. After keeping him in confinement over a week, the man has been released. He appears perfectly harmless. Constable Reed, who is acquainted with the murderer, says the man at Port Norris is not Fiehl.

Counterfeiter Sentenced.

New York, July 3.—Joseph Ryan, the Astoria burglar identified by secret service men as a counterfeiter who escaped from an institution in Washington, has been sentenced to nine years and eight months at Sing Sing by Judge Weeks at Tombs Island City. It is expected that the federal authorities will demand that Ryan be turned over to them to complete his unsupervised sentence of three years' trial. At different times Ryan held the position of cashier with each bank.

Acquitted of a Charge of Forgery.

Glenn, Kan., July 3.—A. L. Chaplin, charged with forgery in connection with the absorption by the Manufacturers' National bank of the Pittsburg Savings bank, has been acquitted and released after three days' trial. At different times Chaplin held the position of cashier with each bank.

Niagara Bridge Contract Signed.

Niagara Falls, July 3.—The contract to replace the upper suspension bridge with a steel bridge has been signed by the Niagara Falls Suspension Bridge company with the Penedo Iron works of Philadelphia. Active operations are to begin by Oct. 15, and the bridge is to be completed by April 1, 1898.

Bushnell Appoints a Delegate.

Ada, Okla., July 3.—Governor Bushnell has appointed F. B. Mill, professor of geology, as an Ohio delegate to the international gold mining convention which is to be held at Denver.



Consumption comes like a thief in the night. The victim is unconscious, never dreaming of the danger which is creeping upon him. Some little door or window of the system has been left unlocked and the frightful visitor has stolen in. If the house of life had been well guarded it never would have happened. Consumption can be kept out just as well as any other disease can—if you strengthen up the weak places of the system and keep them strong. When the system begins to show signs of poor, weak, impoverished blood; when digestion fails and weight goes down from the normal standard, then is the time to be anxious and slide the bolts against dangerous disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery fills the blood with the life-giving red corpuscles which vitalize the entire circulation. It builds up wasted tissue; nourishes the nerves; rounds out sunken cheeks and emaciated forms; brings back appetite and digestion, sound sleep and strong healthy vitality. It does not make flabby fat like cod liver oil, but solid muscular flesh and nerve force.

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Miss Rachel A. Jones, of Thimbleton, Rankin Co., Miss., writes: "Your wonderful 'Medical Adviser' is worth more to me than its weight in gold. I do not see how you can give such a valuable book for so little. I have been offered \$20 for it, but I would not part with it for five dollars."

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- No. 8 " Neuralgia.
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Deposits made with this company, on or before the 10th of July, draw interest from the 1st, according to its rules.

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JAY GOULD'S ESTATE

Decision of the Appellate Court
In the Matter.

GEORGE GOULD'S PAY FOR SERVICES

Allowed by the Court—Appraisal of \$73,000,000 by the Surrogate—Admired—Judge Ingraham Alone Dissents.

New York, July 3.—The appellate division of the supreme court has affirmed the order of the surrogate appraising the estate of Jay Gould at about \$73,000,000 and also affirmed the order of the surrogate deducting the legacy of George J. Gould (\$3,000,000) and the expenses of administration in arriving at the value of the property for purposes of taxation.

The opinion, which was written by Judge Williams, was concurred in by Judges Van Brunt, Rumsey and Patterson. Judge Ingraham dissented and gave his views for so doing. Judge Williams stated that in administering the estate debts, commission and expenses of administration should be deducted in ascertaining taxable values and that this accords with the general practice and is permitted by a just construction of the law.

Claims That the Legacy Was a Gift.

The comptroller did not dispute this, but insisted that the legacy of \$3,000,000 was not given in payment of any legal debt, but was a gift or gratuity from the late Jay Gould and liable as such to taxation.

Judge Williams did not think that the admission of George J. Gould on this point was improperly received because he was an interested person, as it was not a proceeding of a witness against the estate to establish a claim, but a proceeding to ascertain the value of property for the purpose of taxation and consequently permissible.

Judge Williams held that the decedent intended to pay his son for 10 years of labor at the rate of \$500,000 a year, and this was clearly a debt that could be enforced against the estate.

Concluding his opinion, Judge Williams stated that the expenses of administration were properly deducted, \$75,000 already having been expended and \$75,000 would be expended.

In his dissenting opinion, Judge Ingraham said that the \$3,000,000 was more of the nature of a gratuity or gift than the payment of a debt and should be taxed. He also found fault with the way the securities were appraised and said in his opinion a fair market value was not received by the appraisers, and in many instances he considered the appraisal excessive.

Judge Ingraham suggested that the whole matter be sent back to the surrogate for reappraisal.

No More Sunday Ball Playing.

Rochester, July 3.—Sunday baseball has been killed for the balance of the season in Rochester. A crusade against Sunday ball was begun recently by law and order people. The owners of the Rochester Eastern League team, together with the manager and nine players, were indicted by the last grand jury for Sabbath breaking. Pitcher Kid Gannon has been convicted on the charge. The case will be appealed by the club owners. The balance of the cases will go over until fall. Pending the appeal, the owners have stipulated to discontinue playing Sunday games for the summer.

New Electrical Company Incorporated.

Albany, July 3.—The American Electrical and Manufacturing company of New York city, capitalized at \$250,000, has been incorporated with the secretary of state. The company proposes to contract with owners of electrical dynamos and plants to keep them in repair for a stipulated sum per annum. The directors are Henry A. Root and Arthur Hilton of Boston, Alfred K. Warren, George H. Cook, George Stanmore, James R. Stivers, Edward R. Johns, William Duryea and Henry B. Wilson of New York city.

Man Into an Iceberg.

St. Johns, N. F., July 3.—The steamer Furter, with a load of lumber, bound from West Bay, N. S., for Barry, Wales, ran into an iceberg when 180 miles east of Cape Spear. The night was perfectly clear, but the iceberg was under water. The bow of the vessel was crushed in, and the front plates were driven five feet back. The crew had to shift the lumber, as the starboard rail was under water, and it was only with extreme difficulty that the Furter reached port. She will be docked here for repairs.

Cause of Volcanic Eruption.

Cincinnati, July 3.—A Chillicothe, O., special says that residents in the neighborhood of the supposed volcanic eruption near Bainbridge believe they have fathomed the cause. It has been known for years that there is a cavernous formation in that locality, and the belief is that these caves are falling in. There has never been any thorough investigation to ascertain their extent. The inhabitants are still apprehensive of further disturbances.

Distinguished Guests on the Brooklyn.

Southampton, July 3.—The deputy mayor and sheriffs of Southampton, accompanied by the United States consul at this port, paid an official visit to the United States cruiser Brooklyn yesterday afternoon. They were received by Rear Admiral J. N. Miller and his staff, were entertained at luncheon and boarded the president of the United States and Queen Victoria. As the party left the Brooklyn fired a salute of 21 guns.

Fighting Again in Epirus.

Constantinople, July 3.—The newspapers of this city report that in a battle which has just taken place between 400 Greek raiders and a detachment of Ottoman troops near Metsovo the former were repulsed with the loss of 120 killed. In addition, it appears, 80 of the Greeks were captured and taken to Janina, the headquarters of the Turkish army in Epirus.

Railroad Wage Reduction.

Albuquerque, N. M., July 3.—The shop employees of the Santa Fe Pacific railroad, formerly the Atlantic and Pacific, have been notified of a reduction in wages of from 10 to 15 per cent. The reduction extends all along the line from Albuquerque to Los Angeles and affects several thousand men.

SCROFULA CURED.

E. C. Caswell, of Brockport, N. Y., says: "I was terribly afflicted with scrofula and had lost all hope of being cured. A friend advised me to take

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which I did with great benefit, and recommend it to others." It restores the liver to a healthy condition and cures constipation, scrofula, rheumatism, dyspepsia and all kidney, bladder and urinary diseases.

4TH OF JULY GOODS.

We have a large assortment of Firecrackers, Torpedoes, Paper Caps, Pistols, Cannons and every thing for the 4th of July. Call and examine our stock; also Hammocks, Croquet, Tennis, Base Ball Goods, Tablets and Fine Writing Paper.

S. W. MILLSPAUGH & CO.,
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Closing Out Four Lines of Ladies'

\$2 Oxford Ties,

russet and black, C., D. and

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Buy quick while you can get

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SOMETHING NEW.

See Our Outside Display of

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GROCERIES INSIDE.

DEWEY & MUNDY,

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In pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Amanda Moore, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers therefor, to the subscribers, the administrators and administrators of the goods, chattels and real estate of said deceased, at their place of residence, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 25th day of October next.

Dated April 14th, 1

WHAT YOU CAN DO MONDAY.

Plenty of Ways to Find a Day's Enjoyment.

Fourth of July will be generally celebrated in this city Monday. All of the stores will close except the groceries and markets, which will remain open for part of the day, and the barber shops which will be open until noon. Employees of the Argus will be given the same opportunity to enjoy the day's pleasure as is afforded employees in other lines.

The programme for the day is as diversified as any one could desire. Midway Park offers the greatest inducements for an all day jaunt.

1:15 p. m.—Side splitting pie eating contest. Winner to receive \$1.

1:30 p. m.—Climbing pole for prizes fastened at top of pole. Winners to have choice of prizes in order of success. Three prizes.

1:45 p. m.—Sack race. Winner to receive \$2.

2 p. m.—Potato race. Winner to receive \$2.

2:15 p. m.—Tug of war, between Goshen and Middletown neologs. The boys of each place to select a representative team of five among themselves. The winning team will receive \$5.

2:30 p. m.—Tub race across Wallkill and back. Winner to receive \$2.

2:45 p. m.—Swimming race, distance 1,000 feet with one turn. Winner to receive \$3.

3 p. m.—Boat race, distance 1,000 feet with one turn. Winner to receive \$300. Trolley passes. Dances to music by 24th Separate Company's orchestra.

8 p. m.—The Van Dyke, a troupe of famous minstrels.

Music during all events. Should there be any prizes left from the pole climbing contest they will be applied to the boat race. Contests will be open to all. Entries will be registered by Frank Watson, boat office, Midway Park, and will close at 12 m.

Music by 24th Separate Company's orchestra during and after the show.

Every one visiting Midway Park, on July 5th, will, on application to Officer Durham, receive one ticket that will entitle the holder to see free the animated pictures that will be shown at an early date at Midway Park. The picture will be produced by an apparatus that far surpasses the animatoscope, cinematograph, biograph or animotograph.

During the afternoon the Asylum will play the Brighton Athletic Club, the game being called at 2 p. m.

Eagle Hose Company will hold a picnic during the afternoon and evening at Mannerchor Park.

There will be races at Goshen in the afternoon.

Good fishing anywhere nowadays.

There will be a pigeon match at L. V. Bauer's at Phillipsburgh, beginning at 2 o'clock, between Charles Faulkner, David C. Lemon and William Cropsey.

There will be fifteen birds for each man and a small sweepstakes goes to the winner.

Convalescent Home Children to Return to the City, Monday.

All but one of the children now at the Convalescent Home will return to the city, next Monday morning, and a new lot will come that night. To see the children now it is hard to realize that they were most of them in the infirmary of the College of Medicine for Women but two weeks ago. The work being done by the association is certainly a good one.

Walden Catholic Church's Bell to Be Blessed Tomorrow.

The bell of the Church of the Most Precious Blood, at Walden, will be blessed, Sunday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock, by Right Rev. John M. Farley, Auxiliary Bishop of New York. The bell which is the gift of Mrs. Edward D. Farrell will be named "St. Katherine" by its sponsors Hannah Cecelia and Edward D. Farrell Jr.

Let Off With Fines.

James E. Waterbury and Mary Garrison, formerly of Edenville, this county, who were convicted in Paterson, last week, of living together unlawfully were sentenced Thursday. They got off very easily, a fine of \$50 each having been imposed. Waterbury sent a friend for the money and the fines were paid.

"The Mission of the Flowers."

The entertainment given in St. Paul's Church, last evening, by the Junior Epworth League, half of the proceeds of which were for the benefit of the Convalescent Home, was not very largely attended. "The Mission of the Flowers" was well rendered and gave excellent satisfaction.

Real Estate Sales.

Gardner & McWilliams, Insurance and real estate agents, have sold for Jas. C. Hinchbush and Patrick Dougherty their store premises at 102 North street, formerly occupied by Jas. Rogan, to Hannah J. Dougherty, who owns the adjoining building.

Fishing for Bass on the Delaware.

O. B. Brown and F. M. Stratton and their wives went to Port Jervis, to-day. They will fish for bass in the Delaware River.

Will Deliver a July 4 Address.

Rev. Robert C. Diven, of Onondaga, will deliver a Fourth July address at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms at 4 o'clock, Sunday afternoon.

W. C. T. U. Notes.

There will be a lawn party at Mrs. Anna S. Van Fleet's, 119 Wickham avenue, next Thursday evening, July 8th. Ice cream, cake and a musical entertainment will be provided for the small sum of twenty cents. Everybody invited to be present.

To-morrow, National Independence day, marks the birthday of Mary H. Hunt, our national superintendent of scientific temperance instruction.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take. Easy to operate. 25c.

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SPEARING CARP.

The Ground Hog of the Wallkill Has a New Enemy.

Though it is decidedly against the law, three young men from the vicinity of Scotchtown, armed with spears and aided by flaming torches, waded the Wallkill, Friday night. They had no opportunities to sink their spears in a carp's anatomy until just as they neared the trap doors of the mill. There four big fellows were seen together. The man with the largest spear struck first and he nailed a fourteen-pounder to the muddy bottom. The other spear-slinger missed his fish, and in a moment the fish joined a school under the mill, where they rested in the still water, safe from the spears, who did not dare carry their fires under the building.

If every carp in the stream could be removed in this way the fishermen would be pleased, but they do not like the idea of a reckless spearsman wading among the big bass.

UMPUQUA TRIBE, I. O. R. M.

New Officers Installed by Grand Deputy Sachem Myers.

The installation of officers of Umpqua Tribe, No. 331, I. O. R. M., was held, last evening, the installing officer being Grand Deputy Sachem Myers, of Warwick. The officers are:

Prophet—Warner Hook.
Sachem—Chas. Trux.
Senior Sachem—W. O. Wollenhaupt.
Junior "—W. F. Shaw.
First Sanap—D. H. Keener.
Second "—C. E. Reeves.
Guard of Forest—Ed. McCoy.
Guard of Wigwam—C. O. Decker.
First Warrior—J. H. Rump.
Second "—J. C. Baker.
Third "—G. W. Doty.
Fourth "—J. T. Muir.
First Brave—J. W. Black.
Second "—J. D. Ward.
Third "—J. E. Wood.
Fourth "—G. Z. Cole.

Erie Excursions on the Ever Glorious, Independence Day.

The Erie on Monday, July 5th, will sell excursion tickets to Shohola Glen at rate of 90 cents for the round trip. Trains leave James street at 7 and 10:36 a. m. Shohola Glen is a delightful, cool spot in which to spend the day.

A one dollar excursion to New York is also announced via the Erie on Monday special. Train leaves James street at 7:54 and Main street at 7:56 a. m. Tickets are good only on this train in both directions.

Trotting Horses Suffering from Distemper.

A number of horses in training at the Campbell track have been attacked with a mild form of distemper and it has been necessary to discontinue their regular daily work. Nora L., Robert Lemon's fast mare, which has been in training at the Goshen track for Monday's races was brought home, yesterday, suffering with the same complaint.

A Montgomery Man Drowned.

The sad news has been received in Montgomery of the drowning at Weehawken, while bathing, Wednesday afternoon, of Jesse, son of Arlington Gillespie. The young man was employed as a conductor on the Jersey City electric road. The body was brought to Montgomery and the funeral was held from Goodwill Church, this morning.

Bicycle Tourists in Town.

A number of bicycle tourists stopped in town over night, last night, on their way to Port Jervis and the popular Water Gap run. To-morrow and Monday will be great days for the wheelmen unless rain puts a damper on the sport.

"Prove all things; hold fast that which is good." It's not good for everybody, only for the thin, pale, sick, weak and weary. For those who are starving for want of digested food. For those who cannot get fat or strong, because their stomachs do not work as they ought to.

These are the people, millions of them, whom Shaker Digestive Cordial will cure.

Food makes strength, muscle, brain, blood, energy—after it is digested. If not digested, it will do you no good at all.

Shaker Digestive Cordial helps your stomach to digest your food and cures indigestion permanently. When you've tried a small bottle, you can tell.

Sold by druggists. Trial bottle ten cents.

Eczema on the scalp or Scald Head, even in its most severe form is never-failingly cured by Donn's Ointment, the surest specific for all itches of the skin.

Cascarets stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe.

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Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

New York, July 3, '97.

Yesterday's Close

Today's Close

Sugar..... 12 3/4 12 3/4

Tobacco..... 77 74 1/2

Chicago Gas..... 94 1/2 94 1/2

Nat. Lead..... 30 29 3/4

General Electric..... 34 3/4 34 3/4

U. S. L., pref..... 60 1/2 60 1/2

Tenn. Coal and Iron..... 24 1/2 24 1/2

A. T. & S. F..... 12 1/2 12 1/2

C. B. & O..... 83 1/2 83 1/2

C. M. & St. P..... 83 1/2 83 1/2

R. I..... 74 1/2 74 1/2

D. L. & W..... 168 168

C. of N. J..... 85 84 1/2

Erie..... 110 1/2 110 1/2

C. & W..... 13 1/2 13 1/2

Susquehanna & Western..... 27 1/2 27 1/2

Susquehanna & West., pref..... 21 1/2 21 1/2

P. & R..... 21 1/2 21 1/2

N. W..... 117 1/2 117 1/2

L. S..... 102 1/2 102 1/2

N. Y. C..... 102 1/2 102 1/2

T. P..... 10 1/2 10 1/2

U. P..... 6 1/2 6 1/2

W. Union..... 84 1/2 84 1/2

L. & N..... 51 1/2 51 1/2

Manhattan..... 92 1/2 92 1/2

P. M..... 38 37 1/2

Wabash, pref..... 15 15

No. Pacific, pref..... 40 1/2 40 1/2

N. Y. & N. J..... 29 1/2 29 1/2

Southern, pref..... 29 1/2 29 1/2

Soon Began to Improve.

"My son has been troubled with eczema for about five years and we have given him a number of different kinds of medicine without much satisfaction. We concluded to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla and in a short time he began to improve. He is now entirely well." Thos. D. Ray, 102 Henry street, Syracuse, N. Y.

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"Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry is considered a necessity in our house. It is an excellent remedy for summer complaints, especially with children. Wm. Reid, 66 College St. Buffalo, N. Y.

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Millicent Latta-Conkling, Principal. Established 1893. Will reopen June 1. Times Building, third floor. Tuition free for June for pupils taking full course. Rates reduced. d500d&w2t

Cash P. id for Old Feathers

at the Steam Carpet Cleaning and Feather Renovating Co., corner Fulton street and Sprague avenue. Telephone Call 125.

E. H. GREGORY.

A Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, held at the Supreme Chambers in the city of Newburgh, Orange county, N. Y., on the 30 day of April, 1897.

Present: Hon. Michael H. Hirschberg, Justice. In the matter of the application for a voluntary dissolution of The Middletown Casino Theatre Company, of Middletown, N. Y.

On reading and filing the petition of Edward A. Brown, William D. Stratton, Horace W. Corey and Isaac F. Van Duzer, as the Trustees and Directors of the Middletown Casino Theatre Company of Middletown, N. Y. (a corporation then created under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal office in the city of Middletown, N. Y.), and the schedule thereto annexed, duly verified by a sworn petitioner on the 1st day of March, 1897, and now on motion of Daniel Finn, of counsel for the petitioners,

It is ordered that all persons interested in the said corporation shall cause before this Court, before William P. O'Neill, Esq., who is hereby appointed Referee for that purpose, at his office, No. 75 North street in the city of Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., on the 15th day of July, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to file a statement in writing, under oath, of the assets and liabilities of the said corporation, and why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

And it is further ordered that the said Referee proceed to examine each of the persons specified in this Court, and that he report thereon with all convenient speed.

It is also further ordered that this order be published once in each week for three weeks immediately preceding the time herein fixed to show cause in the Middletown Daily Press and the Middletown Daily Argus, newspapers published in the city of Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., where the principal office of the said corporation is located, and also in the Albany Argus a newspaper published in the city of Albany, New York.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon each of the persons specified in the schedule annexed to the said petition as a creditor or stockholder of said corporation, or as a person to whom an engagement of said corporation is to be performed, other than those persons therein specified, whose residence is stated to be unknown, or to be without the United States, at least twenty days before the time appointed for the hearing as above set forth, or by depositing a copy of this order at least forty days before the time so appointed in the postoffice at Middletown, N. Y., enclosed in post-paid wrapper, addressed to the person to be served, at his residence, as stated in the schedule.

Enter
[SEAL] M. H. HIRSCHBERG,
Justice of the Supreme Court.
A Copy
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W. G. TAGGART, Clerk.

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FOR SALE—A bargain. Six-room cottage, 10 No. 35 Watkins avenue. CASE & TYLOR.

THREE-Room Flat, with all improvements, in good order. F. D. KERNOCHAN, Jeweler.

SPECIAL Meeting of Wallkill Engraving Co., to-night, at 8 o'clock. Important business. JOHN GAVIN, Foreman.

PRETTY Cottage for Rent. Rent very reasonable. VANAMER, WATTS & VAIL.

CHAMBERS' Magic Corn Cure will instantly relieve the pain, and soon cure the most obstinate or painful hard or soft corns. Used with perfect success by many of our people during the past five years. If every other remedy has failed, just give this a trial and follow the directions. Price 15c. Made and sold only at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

TO Exchange—A grocery store, doing a good business, for a farm. Address N. Y. Z. Argus office.

CHAMBERS, the North street druggist, will sell you a splendid two-part Fountain Springs, with three hard rubber pipes and extra long tubing, for 48c. They are fully warranted against interference. Get one at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

WE are headquarters for best quality Fire-works at the most reasonable prices. Also all kinds of Blank Cartridges at B. MILLSAUGH'S Bookstore, 20 North St.

B. F. TODD Grocer, 121 North street. Store will be closed entire day, July 5th.

LARGE Cake Best Castile Soap, with a large Turkish wash cloth, 10c. Get it at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

CASINO THEATRE.

Thursday, July 8th.

BIG AUCTION SALE

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Everything the best at rock-bottom prices for cash. Bargains Saturdays.

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13 East Main St.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—Formal notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between James A. Wood and Edwin H. Evans, for the carrying on of the plumbing business, etc., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts and liabilities, accounts and bills rendered have been assigned to James A. Wood. All bills should be paid to him and all claims against the said firm presented to him for payment.

JAMES A. WOOD,
EDWIN H. EVANS.

Dated June 30th, 1897.

The business heretofore carried on by the late firm of Wood & Evans will be continued at the same place by James A. Wood.

Dated June 30th, 1897. JAMES A. WOOD, d2,3,6

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessors of the city of Middletown, N. Y., have completed their assessment roll for the year 1897, and that a copy thereof is left at the City Clerk's office, Times Building, corner King and Centre streets, in said city, for the purpose of being examined by any person interested in said city, and that on that day the Assessors will meet at said City Clerk's office to review their assessments or application of any person considering themselves aggrieved.

Dated July 2d, 1897.

J. J. PURYEAR, S. S. PURYEAR, City Clerk.

W. E. MCWILLIAMS, Assessor.

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REPORT Showing the condition of the

Orange Co. Trust and Safe Deposit Co.

at the close of business June 30th, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Bonds and mortgages..... \$164,597 37

Stocks and bonds at market value..... 319,619 32

Loans on collateral..... 205,784 42

Loaned on personal security..... 59,297 33

Overdrafts..... None

Due from banks and trust companies..... 167,510 52

Real estate, furniture and fixtures..... 23,776 87

Accrued interest and rents..... 11,893 61

Cash on hand..... 47,860 54

\$490,225 29

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..... \$100,000 00

Certificates..... 25,000 00

Undivided profits..... 36,920 61

Due depositors..... \$604,517 22

Certificates..... 119,627 34